Party Leaders Gathering in New York-All Deny Knowledge

SENATOR BURTON ON SCENE | World

Gossip Says Chiefs Rushed to Metropolis to Confer With Chairman Hilles.

Gossip going the rounds of the hotel for a conference with Chairman Charles D. Hilles, who conducted the Taf; emphalian in 1912. This conference, to rumored, is to devise News and means of cheking off the

me of the leading Presidential poss bilities, is at the Waldorf. So is H. D. Moxson, Reput tican National Commit-teeman from Nevada. It is reported that Senator Boles Pennese of Pennsylformer Senator Murray town or are expected here and that they plan to meet Hilles.

Senator Eurton sold the report of the conference was news to him. He came to New York to deliver an address, he

"If Senator Penrose and Mr. Crane ore in town I co not know it," he said. "If they are, I may need taken, but I know nothing of a conference."

All Deny Knowledge.

National Committeeman Maxson, who was injured in an automobile accident last night, sent word from his room that he came to town on business and knew nothing about a tepublican con-"I can't comment on the possibilities of Roosevelt landing the monination; said Masson. "I'm in the position of a witness who refuses to maswer on the ground that the question it incriminat

hairman Hilles also needed knowl edge of the reported inference. He said it was possible that several Republican leaders might be in New York without his knowledge.

Roosevelt Candidacy

ulation about the colonel's intentions. These stories say he will make an active effort to get delegates in the carty primaries.

The statements that he will enter the primaries do not coincide with the understanding here, which is that he has no intention of getting into the Republican primaries. It will be a great surprise to some candidates for the Republican primaries.

the Republican nomination if the colo nel enters the held.
There are sufficient doubt and wonderment about what the colonel is go-ing to do to make the situation pe-culiarly interesting and unusual. The numerous stories appertaining to him since the Gary dinner have caused creat uneasiness in quarters close to the White House. Anxiety is manifest among Administration licuterants as to

among Administration licutenants as to just what Roosevelt's plans are.

Outwordly, the Wilson sides are saying Roosevelt would be easy to beat. But under the surface there is a real fear of him, and every scrap of information which can be gathered as to what his purposes may be is being grabbed up and scrutinized.

Teddy Did. Teddy Didn't Guess the Wiseacres, After Gary Banquet

NEW YORK, tree, 22-What happened at that Judge Gary dinner 'ast Friday neight, when Colonel Roosevelt was the star diner, ma never be known until memoirs and autobiographics come off great stumbling block in the way of the press After groping for light for an early chiling of the war. He sees no prospects for an early peace.

Count Appenyi, like other officials in fessed today that they have arrived at the point where they started. They chaw only that the colonel was there. Among the published guesses today

Among the published guesses today were these.
The colonel tabled tailf, not takes. The colonel tabled about the steel and all tax not the saiff.
The colonel was asked to make the Presidential care published to make the Presidential rate and declarst.
The colonel was expected to make the Presidential rate and declarst.
The colonel was not asked to make the Presidential rate. Presidential race. And the guesces are not all in

G. O. P. CONFERENCE Pan-American Savants NEW YORK ALLOWS TO HALT ROOSEVELT To Be Feted by Society

BOOM IS RUMORED Dinners, Receptions. Luncheons and Other Functions
Big Part of Scientific Congress — Spanish Lan-Big Part of Scientific Congress - Spanish Language to Rule.

Spanish is to be the innustrate of nolife Washington society for a period of
three weeks or more during which the
city will be in the hands of the menbern of the Pan American Scientific
Congress and its additated organizations.
While there will be four languages
While there will be four languages
used at the Congress itself, most of 10odd delegates from South and Central

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NEW YORK. Dec. 22—Hot on the heels of the reported Roosevelt boom. Republican leaders began arriving in New York today. They colemnly denied that the Roosevelt talk had anything to do with their visits here, but the rumor that a conference was scheduled was soon in circulation.

Judge George Gray, of Dehaware, who standed the program for the configuration of the configuration of the configuration and the exploitation of learned theories, has called to its as isome a large committee of society women of Washington. New York, Philadelpula, Poston Chicago, and Richmond who have hores that a conference was scheduled was soon in circulation.

This committee, headed by the wife of the Sect large of Private Gimers, recentled.

a series of private dimera, receptions, luncheous, etc., to fit in with the official program of entertainment, that are really official is character themselves and confemnate the turnishing of the most complete entertainment to the members of the Congress as well as their wives and Augusters. their wives and daughters.

the evening of January 7. This recep-tion really is the culmination of the big social events as it will come at

gates that Washington not only is the ting). capital of the United States, but the center of Pan-Americanism. In furcenter of Pan-Americanism. In fur-therance of this plan efforts are be-ing made to have the decorations of homes, of theaters and of buildings northwest. Dinners will be given by to partake of the Pan-American spir-Mrs. William G. McAdoo, Mrs. Charles it. The reception to be given at the White House will be Pan-American in every essential, as will be the recep-tion indered the delegates by the president of the congress. Ambassa-dor Educardo Suarez, of Chile, at the Chillian embass. Chillian embassy

The Complete Program. The congress opens December 27, and

entire period follows:

Monday, December 27-Luncheon will

that the Dardapelles will always re-

ponyl recently in an interview at Buda-

guarantees cannot be given without at

the same time making the political power of Russia paramount when that

power would be a permanent menace to

our safety. "Hungary wants peace, but a peace

making impossible a return to the con-

ditions that brought about this war.

That implies destruction of Russian in-

fluence in the dalkans, which is used

only aggressively for expansion and

Count Apponyl believes Russia is the

the dual monarchy, expressed surprise at the ione adopted by America in the

Would Give Russia

lungary is willing to piedge Russia negotiations will and satisfactorily.

a charge of robbers.

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American states speak Spanish, and the numerous social functions that are to be given in their honor profiles to hurs with 15 soit Spanish accents of the National Museum. Tenth and B principal guests of honor.

The committee of savants, headed by Judge George Gray, of Dylaware, who attained the program for the congress, his extendizing that outside of the Inited States the social arguings count for as much as scholarly either tions, and the exploitation of learned theories, has called to its as isingle a large committee of society women of Washington.

Thursday, December 20—Reception by Thursday, December 20—Reception by Mrs. Frankling D. Roosevelt, Mrs. William Phillips. With the social arguing for as much as scholarly either tions, and the exploitation of learned theories, has called to its as isingle a large committee of society women of Washington.

Friday, December 31-Pan-American night at the New National Theater; the Latin Americans to be guests of the States delegates. day, January 1 Henry Butler. United States delegates.

Saturday, January 1—Breakfast by Charles Henry Butler.

Mrs. Edson Bradley, at home, to the official delegates to the congress with their families and invited guests, from 439 to 7.90 p. m.

Reception tendered by the President and officers of the Cosmos Club, to the

members of the congress from 3:00 to

Reception At White House.

The most important function of the sessions will be the reception tendered the delegates and their ladies by the President at the White House on the events of the vents of the congress and invited guests at 9:00 p. m. (Marine Band, Pan-American bynn). can hymin). January

tion really is the culmination of the big social events as it will come at the end of the congress and will be given on the day after the President has addresse dthe delegates.

It is to be the aim of the various hosts and hostesses to show the delegates that Washington will preach Pan-American sermons. Afternoon—Automobile ride, hosts and hostesses to show the delegate that washington put only is the last of the leading churches of Rock Creek Park and Zoological Park, hosts and hostesses to show the delegate that washington put only is the

S. Hamlin, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, and Mr. White. Reception by Mrs. Hennen Jennings at a p. m., 2221 Massachusetts

Tuesday, January 4- Dinner will be given by Mrs. Delos A. Blodgett, Reception by the trustees of the Carnegie ention by the trustees of the con-

closes January 6. The complete pro-gram of social entertainments for the of the connecss and their families at 2:30 p. m. Reception tendered by the Secretary of War and Mrs. Gardson to the official delegates of the congress he served in the Pan-American Union. Seventeenth and B streets, to the members of the congress.

Recention tendered by the Secretary of State and the United States delegation to the members of the congress and invited guests at the Pan-American present the Spanish comedy. Zaragnetic and the United States delegation to the members of the congress and invited guests at the Pan-American goets, by Vial Aza, in honor of the Pan-American at 2 m. m.

HORSE MEAT DIET DEMANDS TO AUSTRIA

Paris Eats It. Why Shouldn't! Gotham? Asks Health Board in Lifting Ban on Sale.

Another marked departure made Bithe rade was the incorporation of a regdritton providing that all schools in the city, except those maintained by the noard of education, shall operate only under a permit from the board of health. It Emerson explained that this lecislation, to take effect September 1 next, was intended primarily to in-"cheodrim" or Jewish relig-

prove the "cheodrim" or Jewish relis-ions schools, on the East Side.
"Many of these are in the Lasements of tenements," he said, "and are at-tended by the children after they have finished the day's work in the public schools, and say the teachers spitting and smoking in the classrooms, and the common drinking cun and towel much in evidence. The pupils sat on stools without backs."

Typhoid Carriers.

The health officials dealt also with the problem of typhoid carriers by prohibiting every food handler who has usi recovered from the disease from engaging in his occupation again without the permission of the department. 'atients who are employed at other work will be allowed to recur to it.

The 14.000 retail milk stores in

will not be compelled to have perfuture. Under the present system ever store is inspected once a month and with the whole supply under trol and pasteurization made im ive, the board felt that the retail deal-rs should be relieved of the unnecessary hindrance of getting a permi

wh ichcontain substances detrimental to calth, such as lead, mercury, arsenic, bidden by the board. This action marked the first cognizance ever taken by the authorities of external preparations. This action mark-Regulations were passed specifying the purity of bathing water in pools kept by the city and private individuals. Hereafter they can contain no more than ten colon bacilli per cubic centi

All water tanks must have tight covers, as it was found that the ventilation holes permitted in previous years made it case for mosquitoes to breed in the reservoirs. The water is

Man Who Killed Wife

Story Puts Politicians
Here in State of Daze

Politicians here are again in a state of daze because of reports that Colonel Roosevelt will become an avowed cannot be responsed to the Republican nomination for Present.

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Saturday January Gevent to

Home Club Chorus to

Dardanelles Outlet partment, the chords from the Home lun of the Department of the Interior will take part in the opening program of the Pan-American Scientific Congress at Memorial Continental Hall next Monday morning. There will be lie voices in the group, directed by Otto "It has been a keen disappointment main open for Russian commerce as a to me to see the subservi nee to second-T. Simon.
One of the numbers will be "And the Clory of the Lord Shall Be Revealed."
From Handel's "Messiah." conditions of peace, according to Count Albert Apponyl, leader of the opposition, in the Hungarian parliament.

"We can understand why Russia wants such assurances," said Count Appointment of the spirit of illerty cannot presait."

CATARRH & BLOOD DINEASE.

Because Catarrh affects the nose and throat, it has been common practice to treat it with salves, washes, and sprays applied to these parts. This mode of treatment cannot give permanent relief, and is liable to irritate and aggravate the trouble, Catarrh cannot be trifled with. Don't treat it locally, it is caused by impure and diseased blood. The one treatment that has proven effective in the treatment of catarrh is S. S. S., the greatest blood purifier and blood tonic known. It felleyes the cause of Catarrh by giving bew life to the red blood corpuscles and stimulating the flow so that it has the CATARRH A BLOOD DISEASE pest, but we cannot see why these Woman Held Under \$1,500 Bail on Robbery Charge Pleading not guilty and waving a preliminary examination, Clarine Stovall, colored, was bound over to the grand jury under \$1,500 will joday on She is accused of the theft of a quitetity of jewelry from the rome of Miss stimulating the flow so that it has the vitality to throw off the poison and germs from the system. Get S. S. S. at your druggist's. If you need special advice write the S. S. S. Co. Atlanta. Helle Saxton, treasurer of the American Red Cross, in whose residence, 1922 Cal-vert street northwest, she was emple to The jewelry was found hidden in the advice wr. cellar of the Saxton home last Sunday. Ga.—Advt.

AMERICA REPEATS

No Course Open But to Hold Vienna Government sponible, Says Lansing.

(Continued from First Page.) of the correspondence between this department, who inspected the horse country and Germany on the submarine controversy, and should have gov erned the conduct of her submarine in accordance with the acceptance or Germany of the principles laid down by the United States.

It was to this reference, dispatche from Germany and Austria state, that the Austrian government took especial offense, and in fact the Austrian reply first American note made very plain that Austria resented the ofference that she, as a sovereign nation, was bound by the policies of her Illes. is believed that the omission

his reference in the second tinis caused.

day's note is the specific charge of responsibility made against the Austro-Hungarian government. In the first note the blame was laid on the submarine commander, the United States assuming that the commander THEM and does not understand that the land does not understand the land does not understan had acted in violation of his instruc-tions. The Austro-Hungarian government in its reply refused to accept this means of avoiding responsibility, and in effect upheld the legality of the submarine commander's act. The United States then shifted its charge of direct responsibility to the Austro-

Hungarian government itself.

Notwithstanding its curt dismissal of alli Austria's suggestions of further parietys, however, the tone of the note is less severe than that of the first

graph, contained in both notes, which conveys a warning that the United States will sever diplomatic relations if its demands are not compiled with. In the first note the United State

As the good relations of the two ecuntries must rest upon a comm gard for law and humanity, the Government of the United States cannot be expected to do otherwise than to de-mand that the imperial and royal government denounce the sinking of the Ancona as an illegal and indefensione

Neither Argument Nor Evidence. neas the definite but respectful demands" made in its first note, and

statement of its position will enable Ann Who Killed Wife

Gets Life Imprisonment

A sentence of life imprisonment was

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Described the justice of those demands and to comply with them in the same spirit of frankness and with the same concern for the good relations now excount for the good relations now excount for the good relations now excount of public education, the latter being section of public education. The latter being section of the United States to make them.

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The note is short, less than 500 words in length. It is the shortest diplomatic

Four Propositions Answered.
In reply to the Austrian suggestion hat the Government of the United that "the Government of the United States should precisely specify the actual circumstances of the affair upon which it bases its case," the United States points to the official statement of the Austrian admirally admitting that the vessel was torpedoed when her engines were on board. The note adds: "This admission alone is in the view This admission alone is in the view of the Government of the United States, sufficient to fix responsibility." Austria's complaint that the United of service.

States "failed to designate the persons upon whose testimony it relies, and failed to give information as the number, names and precise fate of the American citizens on board, was Ismissed as immaterial by

Ancona, the weight and character of the additional testimony corroborating the admiralty's report, and the number of Americana killed or in jured are in no way essential matter of discussion, Secretary Lansing

note declared. Four propositions advanced by th Austro-Hungarian government in re-plying to the first note, which were stated in three paragraphs of 50-words, were answered by Secretary Lansing in a brief paragraph of sixty-eight words.

America's Final Word. These propositions were, first, the

Austria is willing to enter into an of the law against which the sub-marine commander offended; third that the United States erred in refer-ring to an exchange of correspond-ence with another power [Germany] for discovery of judicial reasons to. its demands, and, fourth, that Aus-tria will not be bound by whatever market for the troubles it is recom-attitude the German government may mended." attitude the German government may take on the submarine question, but "reserves to itself full freedom of maintaining its own legal views in the

discussion of the case of the Ancona. In reply to these propositions Secre emove some of the bad feeling which tary Lansing gives the final word of the Responsibility Is Charged.

A deeply significant feature of to-

THEM and does not understand that the imperial and royal government questions or disputes them."

State Department officials take the position that the note speaks for itself and refuse to enter into further discus sion. Official reticence will be main-lained, it is indicated, until the Austro-

Rungarian government has had time to

PITTSBURGH BANK CLOSED BY STATE

Savings Institution Not to Blame for the Failure, Receiver

Announces.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 2.-The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings was ordered closed today by order of the State banking department. It is said the bank has \$10,000.000 in deposits. Many depositors crowded before the closed doors, frantic to withdraw their savings. The closing is due to depreciation of the Kuhn securities which were unload-In today's note the United States 'reled upon the bank two years ago, according to Receiver Getty. He said:
"The closing of the bank was inevitable and is no reflection on the management of the institution. We have found to the institution of the institution. absolutely no evidence of mismanage-ment and so far as the organization within the bank is concerned, no blame

Report Shows Decrease In Boiler Accidents

A steady decrease from year to year in the number of persons killed or injured by locomotive boiler explosions or other engine accidents is shown in the annual report of Chief Boiler Inspector Frank McManamy of the Interstate ce Commission made nublic to

day.
The report says thirteen persons were Club Chorus to

Sing at Convention

With marked curtness and with an air of finality that indicates a determination on the part of Secretary Lansing to view the present note as the "last word" of the United States Government unless Austria makes a change of front.

Four Propositions Answered

The report says thirteen persons were killed and 467 jajured by explosions or other engine accidents during the last fiscal year, as against twenty-three deaths and 614 injuries in 1914; thirty-six deaths and 911 injuries in 1913; and ninety-one deaths and 1,005 injuries in 1912. More rigid inspection and the weeding out of defective locomotives is assigned as the cause for the reduction of deaths and injuries.

Out of 73.443 locomotives inspected, 2,443 were found defective. Although this
percentage is high, it is less than that
of last year, when defects were detected
in two-thirds of the engines inspected.
Of the 22.443 defective engines, 2,027 were
ordered out of commission entirely, Last
year 3,355 locomotives were ordered out

Pilgrims Reached America 295 Years Ago Today

December 22, 1620, which is just five years less than three centuries ago to-day, the Pligrims landed at Plymouth Rock and established themselves in celebrate their

Memphis, Tenn., says: "My suffering with catarrh, stomach trouble somnia and lost of appetite. and throat seemed always stopped up exchange of views as to loss of Aming lived for the past two years on erican lives; second, that the United liquid diet. Through advice of friends States should give a bill of particulars I bought a bottle of Dreco for her, and am surprised at the wonderful results obtained. All her bad symptoms have disappeared, and she is like a new person. Her improvement is really re-markable. In recommending Drece to the public I do it in all good faith, as I believe it the best remedy on the

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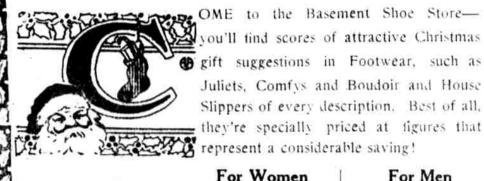
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NEXT WEEK-Stock Company in "The Revolt."

the dual monarchy, expressed surprise at the tone adopted by America in the mote to Austria-Hangary regarding the Ancone.

"If I had been answering the American note, I would have asked your State Department in amend the style and the language before it would consider a reply, he said. "The violence of its expression was an alled for. It takes for granted the statements of manamed witnesses and accepts as the truth every statement of our adversary. But, perhaps the faceling office was wise in not showing how much the tone of the note WATCHES Solid Gold Ladies' Solid Gold Gents' Ladies' Bracelet Watches, with Gold Bracelet Gold Filled Bracelet Watches,

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